Submission of papers

All paper proposals must be submitted online. Please visit: www.metec-estad2019.com and go to the Call for Papers section. There you will find an easy to use online submission form. Your abstract can be a maximum of 300 words. Please note that papers will only be accepted online.

Language

The conference language is English.

Deadline

Please submit your abstracts by 30 September 2018 at the very latest. All abstracts will be refereed by the scientific international experts. In the case of too many submissions, abstracts of equal quality will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

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4) All papers must focus on best practices.

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About ESTAD 2019

Only those who continue to develop their business remain competitive. The prerequisite for this development means being constantly informed about the latest and most sophisticated technological advances, exchanging ideas and initiating and expanding networks with clients, partners and suppliers. With the accompanying METEC conference 4th European Steel Technology and Application Days 2019 (4th ESTAD 2019) the Steel Institute VDEh offers visitors the perfect opportunity to reach these objectives. At this event you will acquire the latest information on new ideas and developments as well as on the state-of-the-art in metallurgical process technologies iron and steel production, steel materials and steel application:

Main Topics:

IRONMAKING

STEELMAKING

ROLLING AND FORGING

STEEL MATERIALS AND THEIR APPLICATION, ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING, SURFACE TECHNOLOGIES

ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY ASPECTS

The topics include all aspects in Industry 4.0 (Cyber physical systems, horizontal and vertical integration, big data...)

ROLLING AND FORGING

Rolling of long and flat products
- Hot strip rolling
- Cold strip rolling and processing lines
- Plate Rolling
- Rod and bar rolling
- Rolling of tubes, sections and rails
- Annealing, galvanizing and finishing
- Processing of new steel grades
- Improved efficiency and product quality
- Rolls for Rolling (Wear and lubrication, grinding, new materials, roll surface, roll inspection)
- Digitalization and Smart Factory-solutions for processing industry
- Virtualization and HMI* in rolling and finishing operations
- Assistance systems in rolling and finishing operations
- Sensors and control, online measurement technologies
- Modelling and simulations
- Material tracking and material flow control: transportation and logistics
- Process and production control, process automation
- Plant upgrades and new equipment developments
- Maintenance: plant availability and condition monitoring
- Environmental issues
- Reheating and descaling

Forging
- Latest developments in forging plants
- Optimization of the forging process
- Process simulation
- Technical measurement of forgings
- Measures for ensuring quality
- Descaling
- Furnace technology
- Burner technology
- Heat treatment process
- Energy Management

Industry 4.0 in the steel industry
- Cyber Physical Systems
- Horizontal Integration
- Vertical Integration
- End-to-end engineering
- Big Data
- Self organisation
- Material tracking, material genealogy
- Through Process Quality Control
- Predictive Maintenance
- IT- Aspects (Cyber Security, IT-Network, Standardisation, etc.)
- Application examples in steel industry

*HMI = Human Machine Interface